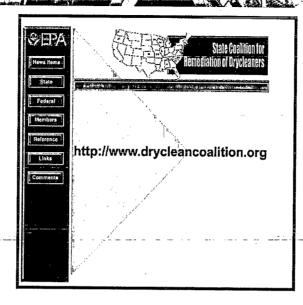


- Improved communications among states with drycleaner-specific programs through semiannual meetings, including discussion of the status of state program implementation and funding and other related programmatic issues, and training on investigative and remedial technologies.
- Development of World Wide Web site that includes links to individual state, industry, and health-related sites; information on the elements of state-programs; summaries of SCRD meetings and conference calls; and a private area where members can pose questions and discuss drycleaner operations and/or cleanup topics.
- Surveyed states about the technologies used to assess and remediate drycleaner sites and the administrative aspects of implementing drycleaner-specific cleanup programs. Presented results at 2000 Association of Environmental Health of Soils (AEHS) and Battelle Remediation of Chlorinated and Recalcitrant Compounds conferences; published results on SCRD web site.
- Provided training to members through case studies of drycleaner site cleanups and technical training on dense non-aqueous phase liquids (DNAPLs) and the use of the BIOCHLOR natural attenuation model for chlorinated solvents.



Information Sharing

The SCRD site is the primary and most effective way for the organization to share information among its members and colleagues. Notices of meetings, summaries of meeting proceedings, and reports on other SCRD activities are regularly posted on the site. In addition, the web site includes links to individual state web sites, as well as links to web sites for more information on industry practices and trends, health related information for drycleaning chemicals, and notices of conferences and events of interest.

Come visit us and learn more about our group. Share your experiences and ask questions!

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State Coalition for Remediation of Drycleaners

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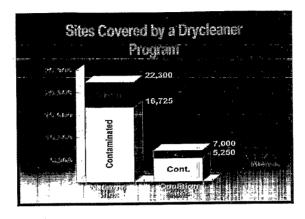


leaning up contaminated soil and ground water at active and inactive drycleaner sites is an issue facing many governments and drycleaners, alike.

The State Coalition for Remediation of Drycleaners (SCRD), made up of states with formal drycleaner remediation programs began in 1998. These state programs cover about a third of the drycleaner sites in the United States. SCRD offers its member states an opportunity to learn from their colleagues techniques for improving and ensuring the effectiveness of their individual drycleaner cleanup efforts.

The group was formed with the help of the U.S. EPA Technology Innovation Office and the National Ground Water Association to foster collaboration among states.





Objectives

SCRD objectives are to:

- Provide a forum for the exchange of information and the discussion of both technical and implementation issues related to state drycleaner programs;
- Share information and lessons learned with states without drycleaner-specific programs;
- Serve as a resource for drycleaner remediation issues; and
- Encourage the use of innovative technologies in drycleaner remediation.

Members

Members of the SCRD are states that have formal drycleaner remediation programs—Alabama, Florida, Illinois, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, North Carolina, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Wisconsin Associate members, currently Louisiana and New Mexico, are states considering a formal drycleaner cleanup programs. In addition, participation in SCRD as "Represented States" is open to states without drycleaner-specific programs but active in the remediation of drycleaner sites under other authorities. New York currently participates as a "Represented State."

SCRD members, associate members, and represented states meet twice yearly. Other interested parties, including industry representatives and individual drycleaners, may attend as visitors.

